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The Proposed Confederation of Newfoundland

With Canada Not Being Realized as Quickly as Was Expected.

Slight Likelihood of Entire Debt of Newfoundland Being Assumed.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., May 13. The Whitehall executive held two cabinet meetings to-day. The situation in respect of confederation with Canada is not as satisfactory as it might be. The debt of Newfoundland is $15,000,000 and is a formidable obstacle to union.

Canada's debt is only $30 per capita. She is willing to assume $10,000,000 of Newfoundland's debt which would represent the same proportion of her per capita indebtedness. There is slight likelihood of the imperial government assuming the remaining $5,000,000.

It is reported that the government is trying to negotiate another loan to help meet the claims of the savings banks depositors and it is said this is partly the object of Mr. Bond's mission to Ottawa.

FIRE RECORD.

School Dormitory Burned and Boys Had Narrow Escapes

BUTLER, Pa., May 13. The boys dormitory at the Slippery Rock State normal school here was destroyed by fire this morning. There were 140 boys sleeping in the building, and many narrow escapes from death were reported. The loss on the building and contents is $15,000; insurance $20,000.

MARINE NEWS

Schooner John Proctor at Anchor

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., May 13. Schooner John Proctor is now anchored at Tarpaulin Cove. She was boarded last evening by the captain and crew of Cuttyhunk life saving station who assisted in keeping her afloat while being towed to Tarpaulin Cove where a steam pump was placed on board and is now keeping her free.

The steam yacht Nautilus, New York for Calais, has arrived here to-day.

SUICIDE AT PORTLAND

Despondency Was Thought to be The Cause

PORTLAND, Me., May 13. James Hodge committed suicide here to-night by shooting. Despondency is thought to be the cause. He leaves no family.

GUILTY PERSON UNKNOWN

Who Set the Fire at Boothbay Harbor

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me., May 13. The sheriff's jury which has been investigating the recent fire, reported to-day that they were unable to find the guilty person.

OXFORD COURT

Divorce Cases, Equity Case and Other Matters

PARIS, May 13. The Oxford supreme court began to day some important hearings before Judge Foster. Angie Thomas vs. William Thomas, a contested divorce case, was heard. The libellant is a white woman who when 25 married a negro aged 37. She alleges non support and cruel treatment. A divorce was denied. In the case of Thomas Griffin vs. Grace Griffin, the contested sensational Rumford Falls case, a divorce was denied. The equity case of Brown vs. Kimball, involving a large manufacturing property and prominent men, came up. H. H. Brown & Son of Paris, are the plaintiffs and they allege that J. Wayland Kimball & Co., of Paris, probably at the time the largest chair manufacturers in Maine, were indebted to them ten thousand dollars.

They claim that the defendants conveyed the property to C. H. Adams their foreman, who conveyed to George G. Hart, who conveyed to Mrs. J. Wayland Kimball, to defraud the plaintiffs. The defendants reply that the conveyances were honest sales. Mrs. Kimball conveyed to Hon. George A. Wilson to form a new corporation, consisting of Payson Tucker, of Portland, George A. Wing, of Lewiston, George G. Hart, of New York, and Hon. George A. Wilson, of Paris, called the West Paris Manufacturing Co. Hiram Ricker & Sons are among those mentioned in the writ.

LIBEL SUIT BEGUN

Case of O'Rourke vs. the Lewiston Sun.

LEWISTON, May 13. In the supreme court to-day the libel suit of O'Rourke vs. the Lewiston Daily Sun was commenced. The action is for statements made relative to taking an insane girl from the city farm to the station, to be conveyed to Augusta. The damages claimed are $5,000. Noble & Crockett conduct the suit for the plaintiff and Newell & Skelton for the defence.

SPRINGVALE EXCITED

Raids on Disorderly Houses and Liquor Dens

SPRINGVALE, Me., May 13. A disorderly house near the station was raided last night. Clara Reynolds charged with selling liquor, was tried this afternoon and fined fifty dollars and costs. Her husband, Elmer Reynolds, and four others were fined one dollar and costs for disturbing the peace. Warrants are out for eight others, who will be tried to-morrow. There is much excitement here over the cases.

SCHOONER ASHORE

Vessel and Cargo Sold to Milbridge Parties

CHERRYFIELD, Me., May 13. The schooner War Steed, of Boothbay, Baxter, from Calais for Boston with lumber, went ashore on Petit Menan Island during the thick fog last night and filled. The vessel and cargo were sold to-day by the captain to Milbridge parties, who have had her pulled off by a tug and beached. The cargo was owned by James Murchie & Son, of Calais.

FAIR

And Continued Cool

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU. WASHINGTON, May 13, 8 P. M.

Indications.

For Maine, Tuesday, Fair, stationary temperature, northerly winds becoming variable.

General conditions and forecast: The storm has moved from the coast of Maine to New Brunswick. A second storm has developed over the lake region and is now central over Lake Erie. A third storm is central north of Montana. Pressure has risen in New England on the Atlantic coast. The temperature has fallen in New England. Rain or snow have fallen in the lake region and rain in the Ohio valley. Rain is indicated for northern New England and the Middle States and rain or snow in the lower lake region. Continued low and freezing temperature is indicated for northern New England, northern New York and the lower lake region and cooler weather for the Middle Atlantic States.

Local Forecast.

BOSTON, May 13. For New England: Tuesday, threatening, probably showers, stationary temperature, variable winds.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Augusta and Lewiston Winners on Monday.

Rain Prevented the Portland-Brockton Game at Portland.

The Unfavorable Weather Prevents a Number of Contests.

New England League

AUGUSTA, May 13. To-day's game was characterized by the heavy hitting of the home team. New Bedford had three pitchers in the box.

Augusta	0	0	0	7	1	0	7	0	—9
New Bedford	0	0	2	8	0	0	0	2	0—12

Hits—Augusta, 2. New Bedford, 14. Errors—Augusta, 9. New Bedford, 7. Batteries—Butler, Dilworth and Kelly; Gary, Pelland, Doe and Sharpe.

Pawtucket Loses to Lewiston

LEWISTON, Me., May 13. Viau's curves were a puzzle to Pawtucket to-day and the home team won in handsome style. Meagher, formerly of Woonsocket, played third base for Lewiston and made a good record.

Lewiston	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—3
Pawtucket	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—2

Hits—Lewiston, 12. Pawtucket, 6. Errors—Lewiston, 1. Pawtucket, 2. Batteries—Viau and Quinlan; Gold and Davis.

New England League Standing

	Won	Lost	Played	Per Cent
Brockton	11	1	12	91
Fall River	1		11	818
New Bedford	9	4	11	0
Pawtucket			12	41
Augusta	5	8	13	3
Lewiston	4	8	1	63
Bangor	2	9	11	188
Portland	2	9	11	188

National League Games

PITTSBURG, May 13. To-day's game was a dull, slow affair throughout. Both pitchers started in wild but steadied down afterward. McGill was strong at critical stages of the game. In the 11th inning Philadelphia hit Killen for four earned runs and won. Attendance 3,000.

Philadelphia	1	0	0	0		1	0	0	0	0	4—8
Pittsburg	1	0		1	0	0	0	1	0	0	—4

Hits—Philadelphia, 11. Pittsburg, 8. Errors—Philadelphia, 1. Pittsburg, 4. Batteries—McGill and Buckley; Killen and Sugden.

Heavy Batting Game

ST. LOUIS, May 13. Batting was heavy on both sides to-day and Breitenstein gave way to Staley in the sixth. The umpiring of McDonald was poor and wrangling occurred in almost every inning. Attendance, 1,000.

Brooklyn	0		0	0	4		1			0—10
St. Louis	0		4	1	1	4	1	0		1—12

Hits—Brooklyn, 16. St. Louis, 14. Errors—Brooklyn, 5. St. Louis, 1. Batteries—Gumbert and Dailey; Breitenstein, Staley and Miller.

Games Postponed

At Cincinnati — Cincinnati-Baltimore game postponed, rain.

At Chicago—Chicago-New York game postponed, snow storm.

At Cleveland—Cleveland-Boston game postponed, cold weather and rain.

At Louisville—Louisville-Washington game postponed, wet grounds.

At Portland—Portland-Brockton game postponed, owing to rain.

New England Association

At Fitchburg—Haverhill, 11, Fitchburg, 3.

At Lawrence—Lowell, 7, Lawrence 1.

At Salem—Salem 16, Nashua 8.

Eastern League

At Scranton—Scranton 2, Toronto, 1.

At Syracuse—Syracuse, 8, Providence, 4.

At Buffalo—Buffalo 3, Wilkesbarres 2.

At Rochester—Rochester, 1, Springfield, 4.

Other Games

At New Haven—Yale, 12, Amherst, 2.

At Philadelphia—University of Pennsylvania, 11, Harvard 7.

At Hanover—Dartmouth 7, Brown 5.

CASE WITHOUT PRECEDENT

Trial of Medical Inspector by Court Martial at Brooklyn

BROOKLYN, May 13. The trial of Medical Inspector Edward Kerschner by court martial was begun to-day. Dr. Kerschner's counsel are Joe H. Choate and E. B. Hindsal. Dr. Kerschner is accused of forwarding on or about March 1, 1895, to the surgeon general at Washington certain reports, letters and naval endorsements in violation of the naval regulations, also with denying under oath that he had done so.

The perjury is alleged to have been committed before the court of inquiry at Kingston, Jamaica, in April of this year. It is stated that a trial of this kind is without precedent in the annals of the navy. The charges against the accused were read, and Mr. Choate entered objection to the first specification of the first charge, stating that the act charged was not in violation of article 235 as alleged.

He held that a letter to the surgeon general was not in violation to the article, in fact it was a communication to the navy department, that an officer of the navy has a perfect right to inform the head of his department of what is going on. Mr. Choate and the judge advocate had a tilt lasting several minutes in regard to the provisions of article 235, especially on the distinction between private and official correspondence.

The court did not sustain Mr. Choate's objection. Dr. Kirshner entered a plea of not guilty to all the specifications of the charges. The prosecution took up the case. The judge advocate offered in evidence the written proceedings of the Kingston court of inquiry. Mr. Choate objected to the admission of this evidence.

There was a long argument on the point between the judge advocate on the one hand and Messrs. Choate and Hinsdale on the other. The latter held that the admission of this evidence would be unjust, it was not the best obtainable, and it was not legal evidence. The objection was sustained by the court.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

GREAT DESTRUCTION

By the Flames at Pratt City, Ala., Monday.

Scores of Dwellings and Other Buildings Quickly Destroyed.

Houses Blown Up by Dynamite to Save Town---Woman Dies of Fright.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 13. Fire broke out this afternoon in a dwelling house at Pratt City and with the strong gale blowing soon spread until forty one dwellings, the hotel, city hall and Northern Methodist church were burned.

A steamer and hose wagon were sent from here. Water was hard to get and the apparatus was of little service.

To prevent the entire town from being destroyed several houses were blown up with dynamite. The loss is $50,000.

Mrs. S. J. Bonner died of fright.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Some Figures on Revenue Receipts

WASHINGTON, May 13. Mr. Worthington Ford, chief of the treasury bureau of statistics, has prepared some figures about revenue receipts. In view of the current treasury deficit of nearly $90,000,000 they are of interest.

Receipts from internal revenue and customs duties are daily paid into the treasury but the particular sources from which the money is received so far as customs receipts are concerned, are not generally stated until the quarterly reports of the bureau of statistics are made.

From Mr. Ford's report it is shown that during the past 9 months $90,000,000 has been paid into the treasury from duties collected on imported sugar, iron ore and bituminous coal. All three of these articles were placed upon the free list in the tariff bill as it passed the house of representatives. Duties on many articles in the woolen, cotton, metal and wood schedules of the tariff as it passed the house were increased in the senate.

A conservative estimate places the increased duties as provided for by the senate from the articles named over the duties as fixed by the house at $8,000,000, making a total increase in the nine months under the practical workings of the senate tariff bill over what the bill would have yielded as it passed the house of at least $17,000,000. Twelve million dollars added to the deficit of over $19,000,000 at the close of business in the treasury on Saturday last would increase the deficit to more than $61,000,000. It is deemed probable, however, that the deficit for the current fiscal year will not exceed $17,000,000.

Civil Service Commissioners Appointed

The President has appointed as civil service commissioners Wm. G. Rice of Albany, to succeed Theodore Roosevelt, and ex-Postmaster John B. Harlow, of St. Louis, to succeed Charles H. Lyman.

CONTEMPT PROCEEDING

Begun for Not Locking Up Inspector McLaughlin

NEW YORK, May 13. As a result of the failure of Deputy Sheriff John Illingworth to lock Inspector McLaughlin up in the Tombs, Saturday morning, District Attorney Fellows after a conference with Justice Barrett today, instituted contempt proceedings against Sheriff Tamsen and Deputy Illingsworth. Justice Barrett will sign the order tomorrow.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Bar Silver Market

LONDON, May 13, 2.15 p. m. The bar silver market is steady, quoted at 30⅞d an ounce.

Many Lives Probably Lost

BRIEST, May 13. The steamer Lemeralda came into collision ten miles from Armen lighthouse at 2 this morning with the steamer Maritana, last reported as having arrived at Huelva April 27 for Barcelona. The Maritana was laden with iron ore and sank immediately. The Lemeralda saved eight of the Maritana's crew including the captain and brought them here. Eleven others are missing and it is presumed they are drowned. The Lemeralda reached here this afternoon leaking badly.

Unknown Steamer Ashore

LONDON, May 13. An unknown steamer flying the French flag went ashore this afternoon at Pendeen, near Land's End.

American Wheelman Wins

PARIS, May 13. In the bicycle races in Velodrome de L'Est to-day George Banker, of Pittsburg, Pa., won the two kilometre event, beating Baras and Vasseur. Banker was "scratch man."

Denial of Report of Ministerial Crisis in Germany.

BERLIN, May 13. All reports of a ministerial crisis or the resignation of Herr Von Koeller, minister of the interior, compulsory or otherwise, are declared untrue. The Cologne Gazette is making a vigorous attack upon Herr Von Koeller and it is stated that Chancellor Von Hohenlohe does not approve of the paper's course. It is the general opinion that the paper is doing the chancellor the same doubtful service it rendered to General Caprivi last October.

Peers Wish to Known Where they Are At

LONDON, May 13. William W. P. Wolmer, George Nathaniel Curzon and William St John Brodick, respectively members of Parliament for West Edinburgh, Southwest Lancashire and Surrey and eldest sons of Earl of Selborne, Lord Scarsdale and Viscount Middletown, are carrying out their intention to test the question whether heirs to Peerages sitting as members of the house of commons are entitled to remain in that body after they have become peers.

To-day Mr. Wolmer, formerly by courtesy a lord with the title of viscount, who has just succeeded to the peerage in consequence of the death of his father, Earl of Selborne, appeared in his accustomed place in the house of commons, ignoring the fact that he had inherited a seat in the upper house. Mr. Labouchere asked the speaker whether a peer had any right to a place within the bar of the house of commons. Speaker Gully asked Viscount Wolmer, otherwise Lord Selborne, whether he had applied for a summons to the house of lords.

Viscount Wolmer replied that he had not made such application and furthermore he did not intend to do so until the house of commons decided that he was no longer a member of that body. The speaker ruled that the question was already decided by the house and called upon Lord Selborne to withdraw behind the bar, which he did. Sir William Harcourt, chancellor of the exchequer, said in view of the arising of an event so unusually and constitutionally important the house ought to take the matter under advisement and establish a course to be pursued in regard to such cases.

A person becoming a peer, he said, must necessarily become a Lord in parliament. It would be impossible for him to deprive himself of his seat in the House of Lords. He thought it proper to refer the refer the question to a committee such as was appointed to deal with the Coleridge case. Mr. Balfour agreed with Sir William. Mr. Chamberlain differed from him, saying that his sympathies were wholly with Viscount Wolmer. After further discussion the matter was put over till to-morrow.

Great Uproar Caused.

BUDA-PESTH, May 13. In the lower house of the Hungarian diet to-day Herr Ugron made a violent attack upon Premier Bannfy. He said he made an unjust, unwarranted and cowardly attack upon Mgr. Agliardi's papal nuncio to Austria, while at the same time he allowed himself to be insulted by Count Kalnoky, the imperial premier. Herr Ugron concluded his speech by demanding that Bannfy should say whether he had resigned his office. Baron Bannfy made no reply to the attack, which provoked great uproar in the chamber.

AN IMPERIAL EDICT.

Japan Makes An Official Statement.

Desires Enduring Peace and Yields to the Three Powers.

Believes It to be for the Best That the Concession be Made.

LONDON, May 13. A despatch to the Central News from Madrid says it is understood Spain has sent a note to Russia, France and Germany contending that as the Japanese did not hold Formosa when the treaty of peace was signed, their right to occupy the island in the face of the opposition of its inhabitants is a disputable pretext for further intervention.

Imperial Decree Issued

LONDON, May 14. A despatch to the Central News from Tokio says an imperial decree has been issued setting forth that the envoys of Japan and China have completed the task entrusted to them of negotiating a treaty of peace between the two countries. The decree after stating the conditions of peace agreed upon says Russia, Germany and France advised Japan that permanent retention by her of the Liao Tung peninsula would not be conducive to lasting peace in the Orient and urged the retrocession of that territory to China.

The decree continues: "We have always been anxious to establish and maintain peace. Our object in the recent war was to found enduring peace. We believe Russia, France and Germany are actuated with the same feeling. We will not insist upon the retention of the Liao Tung peninsula. We do not desire to raise fresh trouble increasing the calamities of our people or obstruct the expansion of our country by deferring the restoration of the blessings of peace.

"China has shown regret for her breach of friendship justifying before the world Japan's action. Japan will comply with the desires of Russia, France and Germany. The manner in which the Liao Tung peninsula will be restored to China will be arranged by China and Japan. Now that the treaty of peace is ratified and the ratifications exchanged our former friendship is restored in the hope attaching us to neutral countries may be closer. Let our officials and people keep this steadily in view."

The despatch adds that Admiral Ito was appointed chief of the navy department in the room of Admiral Viscount Kabayama. Count Saigo, who was selected to go to Formosa and formally assume the island of which it will be viceroy. A initial Kabayama will be accompanied to Formosa by Mizuno Jun, chief secretary of the Lower House of the Japanese diet, who has been appointed head of the civil administration of Formosa.

WAR DECLARED

Civic Federation in Chicago After The Race Tracks

CHICAGO, May 13. If the Civic Federation makes good its threats and attempts to stop book making at Harlem the track owners will attempt to close the Board of Trade Saturday night. George V. Hankins, principal owner of Harlem, President Wm. Martin and Secretary J. A. Murphy went over to the office of Corrigan, the great sporting man to talk over the racing situation in Chicago. John Brennan, John Burke, Pat Dunne, Joe Ullman and Secretary Kuhl were also present. Both associations had lawyers present.

There was no disguising the fact that the situation was desperate and that something must be done at once if racing was to be continued this summer. The Hankins contingent, it is said, were in favor of waiting until a bill could be put through the legislature that would legalize racing before opening the track. The Corrigan men were bitterly opposed to any such scheme claiming it would be a confession of weakness. After a stormy session reaching far into the night it was decided that Harlem was to open to-day and that local books at least would be opened. Both associations agreed to stand together in fighting the common foe, the civic federation.

They feel particularly bitter towards President W. I. Baker, who has caused all the trouble. The horsemen say that as President of the Board of Trade he is at the head of the greatest gambling institution in the country and they propose to take a hand in the game of morals if forced to do so.

A raid on Harlem will be considered sufficient grounds. Should the raid be made State warrants will at once be sworn out against the officers of the board and every broker operating. They claim that dealing in options puts and calls and futures is a direct violation of the anti gambling law which the civic federation has used so tellingly against them.

Attorneys for the race people assure them that there is no state law which will allow the board to operate and that what applies to bookmaking also hits the board of trade.

It is simply a case of different forms of gambling. As the horsemen have plenty of money and have put over a million dollars in the two tracks they stand ready to make a hot fight. As the law now stands three convictions for gambling will send a person to Joliet for five years. Hankins has been convicted twice. His interest in the matter is vital and he proposes to fight.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, May 13. Money easy 1¾, last loan 1¾, closing 1¾.

Prime Mercantile paper 5@6.

Bar Silver 67¾.

Mexican Dollars 52¾.

Sterling Exchange—steady, 4 87¾@4 88¾ for 60 day bills, 4 89¾@4 90 a demand.

Government bonds firm.

Railroad bonds irregular.

STOCKS

Atchison	8¾	North western	98
Adams Express	144	preferred	144
American Express	114	N Y Central	101
Boston & Maine	168½	N Y Chic & St L	1
Central Pacific	19¾	preferred	70¾
Ches & Ohio	22¾	N Y & N E	4
Chicago & Alton	159	Ohio & Miss	500
" preferred	170	Old Colony	180
Chic Bur & Quincy	78¾	Ont & West'n	18¾
Del Hudson	110¾	Pacific Mail	26¾
Del Lack	161	Pullman Palace	173¾
Den & Rio Grande	600	Reading	39¾
Erie	14	Rock Island	69¾
preferred	29	St Paul	66¾
Ills Central	97	preferred	120
Lake Erie & West'n	21	St Paul & Omaha	66¾
Lake Shore	147¾	preferred	113¾
Louisville & Nash	56	St Paul Min & Man	114
Maine Central	000	Sugar	116¾
Mexican Central	12¾	Texas Pacific	13
Mich Cent	101¾	Union Pacific	16¾
Minn & St L	12	U S Express	38
preferred	58	Wabash, St L & Pac	8¾
Mo Pacific	29	preferred	19¾
N J Central	99¾	Western Union	92¾
Northern Pacific	7		
preferred	25¾		

BONDS

4s reg	112¾@113¾	Erie Seconds	70¾
4s coup	111 @113¾	Kan Pac Consols	72¾
U S 4s	97	Oregon Nav 1sts	110¾
General Pacific 1sts	102	Union Firsts	105¾
Den & Rio G 1sts	112¾	No Pac con 4s	41

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, May 13. FLOUR—receipts 24,329 pkgs, exports, 3,268 bbls, 18,111 sacks, sales, 18,000, firm demand fair. Winter wheat, low grades, 2.30@2.75, fair to fancy, 2.95@3.25, patents, 3.40@3.75. Minnesota clear, 2.75@3.15, straights, 3.50@4.40; patents, 3.50@4.60. Low extras 2.30@2.75. City Mills, 4.50@5.00; City Mill patents, 4.40@4.60, rye mixtures, 2.80@3.00, superfine, 2.25@3.10, fine, 2.15@2.30.

SOUTHERN FLOUR—quiet, firm. Common to fair extra, 2.25@2.40, good to choice, 2.50@3.70.

RYE FLOUR—firm, fairly active.

CORN MEAL—quiet, steady.

RYE—nominal.

BARLEY—nominal.

WHEAT—Receipts 181,250, exports 20,801, sales 24,000, quiet, dull, firmer. No. 2 Red, store and elevator, 68⅝@69, afloat, 70@70½, f o b, 69⅞@70⅜, No. 1 Northern, 70@70½.

CORN—Receipts 38,000, exports 67,806, sales 231,000, active, firmer. No. 2 55½@56 elevator, afloat, 56½@56, steamer mixed, 54⅝@55⅝.

OATS—Receipts 199,000, exports 5,000, sales, 47,000 dull, easier. No. 2, 32@32⅛; white, 36¼@38⅝, No. 3, 31@31½; white, 35⅝@36; mixed western, 32@33, white do, 37@40½; white State, 37@40½; No. 2 Chicago, 34½@34¾.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, May 13. FLOUR—firm; steady.

WHEAT—higher, No. 2 Spring, 68⅝@68¾; No. 3 Red, 64⅝@⅞.

CORN—firm, No. 2, 50¾@50⅞.

OATS—steady, No. 2, 23¾@⅞.

No. 2 Rye—38@40.

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A MAY SNOW STORM.

A Heavy Fall in Michigan on Monday Does Much Damage.

DETROIT, Mich., May 14. Frederick, Mich., reports 9 to 10 inches of snow, Osseline 3 inches and still snowing this afternoon. Lewiston 8 inches and still snowing, Menominee 4 inches and all gardens and many fruit and shade trees ruined, and Manistee, 2 inches.

CAPT. HOWGATE'S CASE

Reassigned for Trial May 27 at Washington

WASHINGTON, May 14. The case of Captain Howgate did not come up for trial to-day. It has been reassigned for May 27.

Assignment of Justices

The following are the assignments by Chief Justice Fuller of the justices of the supreme bench of the law circuits for the ensuing terms for the ensuing year:

Law Terms

Middle district at Augusta, Fourth Tuesday of May. Sitting Justices Gray, Walton, Emery, Haskell, White, Strout and Wiswell, 11.

Eastern district at Bangor, third Tuesday of June. Sitting Justices Gray, Foster, Haskell, Wheeler, Wiswell and Strout, 11.

Western district at Portland, first Tuesday of July. Sitting Justices Gray, Walton, Foster, Haskell, Wheeler, Wiswell and Strout, 11.

Nisi Prius Terms

Lincoln, C.—Sept. 3, Franklin, Oct. 4, Lincoln, Jan. 1, Androscoggin, Feb. 1, Penobscot, April 1, Waldo.

Haskell, J.—Aug. 5, Sagadahoc, Sept. 1, Knox, Oct. 11, Hancock, Jan. 7, Washington, April 2, Cumberland, April 14, Washington.

Walton, J.—June 1, Franklin, Sept. 3, Somerset, Oct. 2, Oxford, Jan. 3, Androscoggin, April 1, Penobscot.

Whitehouse, J.—Aug. 2, Piscataquis, Sept. 4, Androscoggin, Oct. 9, Hancock, Dec. 4, Sagadahoc, Jan. 1, York, April 8, Hancock, May 1, Oxford.

Emery, J.—Sept. 3, Aroostook, Oct. 1, Waldo, Dec. 3, Somerset, Jan. 3, Hancock, Feb. 4, Piscataquis, April 1, Androscoggin, May 1, York.

Wiswell, J.—Sept. 1, York, Oct. 9, Hancock, Dec. 1, Aroostook, Feb. 1, Franklin, March 1, Knox.

Foster, J.—Oct. 1, Washington, Jan. 1, Waldo, Feb. 2, Oxford, March 1, Knox, April 1, Sagadahoc, April 15, Lincoln.

Strout, J.—Sept. 4, Piscataquis, Oct. 2, Oxford, Dec. 2, Knox, Jan. 7, Cumberland, March 1, Somerset, April 1, Aroostook.

Municipal Court

Alexander McLeod, drunk, 5 days in jail.

John Donovan, drunk, $3 and costs.

Frank W. Doherty, drunken, $3 and costs. Paid.

Wholesale Produce Market

Corrected weekly by the Produce Exchange Association.

SATURDAY, May 11.

STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 56 pounds; a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, onions, turnips, beets, parsnips, salsify, shall be 60 pounds; of carrots, 50 pounds; of apples, 48 pounds; of shelled corn, 56 pounds; of ear corn, 70 pounds; of barley, 48 pounds; of rye, 56 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds; of timothy seed, 45 pounds; of red top seed, 14 pounds; of hungarian seed, 48 pounds; of flaxseed, 40 pounds; of blue grass seed, 14 pounds.

Country Produce

BEANS—

Pickers (Yellow eyes)	4
Medium	3
BUTTER—	
Choice new	18
Extra good	18¾
CHEESE—	
Best factory	10
Best dairy	9
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice sliced	4½
Choice quartered	2
EGGS—	
Fresh laid	11
HAY—	
Best loose	18
PEAS—	
Yellow eyes	3
Marrowfat	3
POTATOES—	
New	40
POULTRY—	
Chickens, Spring	20
Fowl	18@20
ONIONS—	
Bermuda	1

Retail Prices Current

SALT—	
Bangor, per hogshead	1
English, per sack	1
Liverpool, per bushel	50
Turks Island	50
HERRING—	
English, scaled, per box	10
RAISINS—	
Muscatel, per lb	8
London layers	9
Sultanas	15
CURRANTS—	
English, per lb	1
KEROSENE OIL—	
Portland	8
Boston	8
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider, per gallon	20
Pure white wine	20
OATS—	
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Hazelton	4
Best St Louis	4
Good family	3
CORN—	
Full weight	
CORN MEAL—	
50 lb lots	
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In sacks (100 lbs)	1
SHORTS—	
St Louis bran, in sacks	
Milwaukee, per hundred	1
MIDDLINGS—	
Fine, per hundred	1
Coarse	1
GLUTEN MEAL	
FEED FLOUR	1
WHEAT	

Breadstuffs Grain etc.

OATMEAL—	
Best Scotch, per lb	5
Best Irish	5
Best Canadian	5
RYE MEAL—per lb	3
GRAHAM FLOUR	4
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR	4
SUGAR	
Granulated, per lb	5
Extra—	5
PORK—	
Country clear, per lb	8
Western	1
LARD—	
Bulk, from tierces, per lb	5
Home in pails	5

BASE BALL!

New England League Championship Games.

May 13, 14,

Fall Rivers vs. Bangors.

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TUESDAY, MAY 14 1895

The people will convene in court martial in November of next year for the trial of Cleveland and his party and it would not be a difficult task to forecast the decision.

In the death of Hon. Eben Woodbury, the announcement of which appeared in the telegraphic columns of THE WHIG Monday morning, Aroostook loses one of her old and highly respected citizens. During his lifetime Mr. Woodbury held many different positions of trust under the State and National governments and enjoyed the confidence and esteem of a very wide circle of friends. He was a staunch Republican and always took a deep interest in political matters. He leaves a daughter the wife of Mr. John M. Hunter of Houlton who will have the sympathy not only of the people of the immediate vicinity but of Eastern Maine in her sad affliction.

The Democratic New York *Evening Sun* says that Admiral Meade may have been indiscreet but at the same time it says that

In his opinions about the foreign policy of the Administration Admiral Meade does not stand alone. As a matter of fact a large majority of the American people believe that the Administration's policy has been flagrant and spiteful to a great of the complications which it has been called upon to face. The Walton fiasco convicted Mr. Cleveland of folly and offence to American interests on the islands and for worse of sight holstering up a blunder after it was pointed to be most simple and had made us the laughing stock of the world. Now again the Administration practically ignored the Monroe doctrine and the impression prevails widely that Great Britain might have gone to any lengths so far as making a campaign in the Hague against the native troops without Secretary Olney more than a mild remonstrance from the Treasury.

Anyone with the political instincts which are under this Administration is bound to offer a wager that Cleveland and Olney will now make any sacrifice of dignity and water. Having made haste to get rid of our patriotic Minister Pickering with the title John L. Stevens the President has now commenced operations on the Navy and it is intimated that he also purposes to punish the Army in the person of General Merritt who like Admiral Meade incurred the displeasure of this Administration. Newspaper gossip may question the policy of the utterances of Admiral Meade but they cannot question the fact that the sentiments thus expressed are indorsed by the overwhelming majority of the American people who are disgusted with the whole Cleveland regime and this feeling is not confined to political lines either. If President Cleveland appreciates the meaning of the word patriotism he may yet do something to demonstrate the fact.

The Delaware Senatorship

The Delaware senatorial muddle will be finally settled in the United States Senate which body will pass upon the right of Col. Dupont to a seat based upon the action of the General Assembly. The whole question turns upon the right of the Governor to participate in the election as a member of the Senate. Col. Dupont has a clear majority of the joint ballot of the members of the Assembly but a vote of the Governor is thrown out as an infraction of the State constitution. Just how the Senate can find a way to accept the act of the Governor in view of the recent declaration of the constitution is not easy to understand. Section 4 of Article III of the State constitution is quoted in this way:

No member of Congress or person holding any office under the United States or this State shall exercise the office of Governor.

Section 14 of the same article reads:

Upon any vacancy happening in the office of Governor by his death, removal from office, inability, the Speaker of the Senate shall exercise the office until another be elected by the people shall be duly qualified.

The difficulty in how the champions of the Governor can reconcile his case with the explicit provisions of the section quoted. As the New York *Tribune* says: "Upon a vacancy in the office of Governor the person who has previously been elected President of the Senate is designated to exercise the office, and in so doing he can be no more than a temporary officer, holding for the time being and for no longer time than the Governor-elect shall be duly qualified. But as if to meet this particular point the constitution of the United States provides that until a Governor elected by the people shall be duly qualified, thus by implication declaring that a former Speaker no less a real Governor than the one elected by the people, some thing quite different from the point of construction of his status when filling a vacancy until a new Governor qualified. Again in Section 1 of Article II which deals with the State Legislature, are these words:

No person concerned in any Army or Navy contracts, nor member of Congress nor any person holding any office under this State or the United States, except the Attorney General, officers annually appointed by the courts of law, respectively attorneys-at-law, and officers in the militia, holding no disqualifying office shall during his continuance in Congress or in office be a Senator or Representative.

This certainly applies to the Governor. The fact that some exceptions to the rule are made gives it particular affirmative force in all other cases. During the "continuance" of a man in the Governorship he may not be in the Legislature.

The law appears plain, and the custom has been in Delaware as elsewhere when a Chief Magistracy is vacant for the person next in succession to take the office and surrender his former functions. There is only one precedent that on the surface at all points the other way, and when examined even that will be found to strengthen the Republican position. In 1846 the Governor died. Speaker Charles Polk succeeded him, and held the office of Governor for about two years. He was elected a Senator for about four years. When a Governor elected by the people qualified he went back to the Senate and served out his term. There is no record that while Governor he exercised any of the functions of Senator, on the contrary, a Speaker pro tem. was chosen in his stead, and the fact that he resumed the Senatorship after having for a time given it up does not at all argue that he could have exercised its functions while Governor.

In fact, his re-entrance to the Senate coincident with retirement from the Governorship would tend to prove that the illegality of holding both offices at once was recognized. He obeyed the constitution, and during his "continuance" in office as Governor ceased to act as Senator. When Mr. Watson succeeded Governor Marvil he surrendered his functions as Senator and showed no disposition to claim the right to vote. If at any of the ballots in the last few week a sudden turn had thrown fifteen votes for a candidate, he would have been declared elected without opposition. Governor Watson did not attend the joint session at all after becoming Governor until he was persuaded by Addicks to do so. His action was an intrusion into the Senate for which there is no precedent. It should not be allowed to deprive Delaware of her representation in the Senate. The Governor may appoint some one to fill the alleged vacancy, but the experience of some Western Governors in appointing Senators after Legislatures had failed to elect should teach him the improbability of his appointee being seated. He would better acknowledge his mistake in trying to vote and give a certificate to Mr. Dupont.

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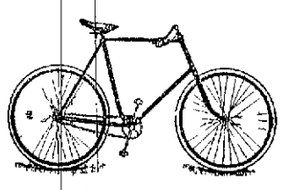

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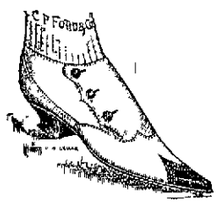

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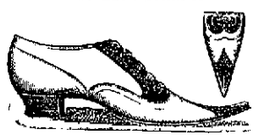

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Ordered, That said Executor give public notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this Order to be published once a week, three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office, in said Bangor, on the first Tuesday in May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

JAMES H. BURGESS, Judge.

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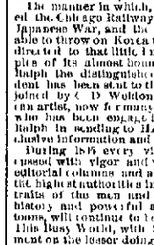

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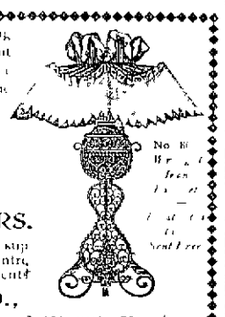

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CHICAGO, May 13. A special grand jury will probably make it very warm for the men who have robbed the city of $1,000,000 or more by means of stuffing the pay rolls. Mayor Swift and Commissioner of Public Works Hurd have held several conferences during the past few days with the State's attorney and the stuffing of pay rolls was the subject considered. It has been discovered that in the 23d and 24th wards the name of ex-Senator John J. O'Malley has been on thirty one pay rolls and the Commissioner of Public Works says O'Malley has drawn that number of salaries from the city without having performed any labor. He pocketed the sales, it is charged, were divided with various politicians of the Hopkins administration. O'Malley obtained notoriety at last spring's election by shooting Hickman Stephens and murderously assaulting a bartender in a north side saloon while on a spree and he is now under indictment for these offences.

THAT COLD WAVE.

Rapid Fall of Temperature in Various Sections.

Great Damage Reported to Early Fruit and Vegetables in New York State.

While News from Western States Reports Crops Were Only Slightly Injured.

MONTICELLO, N. Y., May 13. A severe frost visited this region last night. The mercury dropped [illegible] degrees in almost as many minutes. [illegible] during the night in some sections of Sullivan and Delaware counties the blossoms were badly injured. Many orchards this morning show a white frost. In Monticello and at most all points in Orange, Ontario and Western [illegible] Thermometer Hovered Around Freezing Point.

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RESULT OF BLACKSTONE ACQUITTAL CONTEST.

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COMMENCEMENT.

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INJURY BY [illegible]

[illegible] Northwest [illegible] Mississippi [illegible] Stands at a Low [illegible] Fifty cents per bottle [illegible] Lowell, Mass.

BUSINESS REVIVAL.

Now that Democrats Do Not Control a Mischief Business Reviving.

[illegible] Ohio and West Virginia [illegible] business is booming [illegible] from and that [illegible] seems fully [illegible] spring [illegible] note [illegible] any one line of industries of manufacture and [illegible] effects. Odd well that [illegible] for two years [illegible] Plants that have been [illegible] have met [illegible] numerous mills [illegible] of labor. In the [illegible] some over [illegible] received in advance [illegible] past week.

Japan Criticised.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13. The steamship City of Tokio arrived today from the Orient, bringing Yokohama advices to April 26. The Tokio Press correspondent says: Japan is criticised because she did not join Russia for fear alleged, that her expansion would clash with Russian interest. That if the great bear was not to be encountered he must have a morsel to keep him quiet. Certainly Japan did know that. She knew that Germany's friendship was of the selfish character to stand any strain. Germany has never done anything for Japan.

Without Being Paid.

The history of her relations with the new Oriental power has been a series of hard bargains. It was always easy to see that if stronger inducements were offered she would at any moment alter her attitude.

As for France, her role in the Orient has been less dictatorial in tone than in history. The position she now takes is perfectly consistent with her precedents.

Yet Japan did not attempt to parade these powers by previous arrangement. She has learned the uselessness of such attempts. To satisfy one power is to give umbrage to another. For a time it was industriously rumored that a secret understanding

Existed Between Her and Russia.

Thereupon British suspicions were aroused and the English press clamored.

The area of territory ceded by China to Japan is 46,956 square miles, of which 16,100 square miles represent Liao Tung Peninsula. Speaking approximately, Japan increases her dominion by 25 per cent and her whole area becomes greater than that of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and nearly equal to the combined area of France and Spain.

With regard to the population no accurate statistics are yet available, but it may be assumed that Formosa has a population of three million, Pescadores a population of six thousand and Liao Tung Peninsula a population of 4,500,000. Thus the total population of the Japanese empire becomes 43,000,000, which is greater than the population of France or Germany.

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FOREIGN NEWS.

Arrangements [illegible]

Occupied [illegible]

FIRE RECORD.

[illegible]

RAILROAD [illegible]

[illegible]

SHE DECEIVED THE [illegible]

[illegible]

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GEO. H. HAMLIN, Treasurer.

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BREWER LOCALS.

Mr John Wilson has returned home from a trip to Boston.

Mrs M J Dunham, of Ellsworth Falls, is visiting friends in the city.

The Brewer Methodists united with the Bangor churches in their centennial celebration of Methodism yesterday.

Mr E S Atwood returned to North East Harbor yesterday, after a short visit at his former home in this city.

The regular weekly meeting of the First M E ladies' prayer meeting is to be held this afternoon at the usual hour.

The next Penobscot County Congregational Conference is to be held with the church at East Orrington on June 4 and 5.

Mr James Simpson, of East Boston, has been in the city for a few days, called here by the death of the late Mr Richard Kent.

Yesterday was a good day for the rubber and umbrella trade and the dealers in these goods had their turn in place of the soda water men.

Mr Fred Eaton, who has resided in this city for a year or two in the Skinner house on the corner of Main and Parker streets, has moved to Bangor.

Sunday's rainy weather continued yesterday and the day was a damp one, considerable rain falling and the streets and sidewalks being wet and muddy.

The second meeting of those interested in organizing a Baptist church in Brewer is to be held in City Hall this evening and a full attendance is desired.

Mayor Nickerson has issued warrants according to law for the killing of all unlicensed dogs and placed them in the hands of the officers. Quite a number of dogs in the city are not licensed.

A meeting of the Brewer Memorial Association is to be held this evening at 7:30 for the purpose of making arrangements for the observance of Memorial Day in this city. All members are requested to be present.

A number of Brewer people who attended the Methodist Conference at Bucksport Sunday returned home yesterday morning. Many Methodists from various parts of the district were in the city on their way to their homes.

The funeral of the late Mr Kent was held from his late residence on Main street Sunday afternoon, Rev B B Mansfield officiating and the Brewer Quartett furnishing music. There was a large attendance. Abel Hunt, Esq, had charge of the funeral and the interment was made at Oak Hill cemetery.

The number of the Methodist church and a goodly many friends outside of his parish will be glad to learn that the Conference at Bucksport retained Rev F T Cobb to this pastorate for another year. This will be Rev Mr Cobb's fourth year here and his return was at the request of the church in which he has done most excellent work.

John Howard, a teamster employed by Mr A H Gould, was kicked by a horse at Mr K J Jones's blacksmith shop yesterday afternoon. The animal's hoof striking him heavily on the shoulder, he was knocked into a corner and although it was only a moment before he could recover he finally got up and found that fortunately he was injured with the exception of a bruise and more or less lameness.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

In No Immediate Danger

WASHINGTON, May 13. Miss Mary Abigail Dodge (Gail Hamilton) who is suffering from a partial stroke of paralysis was reported today as being in no immediate danger and somewhat better. Her mind is clear and unaffected.

Hold a Conference with the President

Justice Jackson of the United States Supreme Court was this morning in conference with President Cleveland at the White House. The President came in from Woodley this morning and the meeting with Justice Jackson was evidently by appointment. Considerable interest was of course attached to the occurrence.

TERMS ACCEPTED

Two Big Plants Will Resume Work This Week

BUFFALO, May 13. Employes at the Lackawanna Steel and Iron and the Wheeling Iron and Steel Companies received word yesterday that the companies had accepted the terms and the two big plants, employing nearly 3,000 men, will begin running full time next week. This will start a boom in business in this part of the Mahoning Valley.

CLOSED ITS SESSION

Supreme Council of A P A

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 13. The Supreme Council of the A P A closed its session at three o'clock Sunday morning. The Junior A P A was organized Friday under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Council of the United States and will reach into Canada and long all boys and girls between 14 and 18 will be eligible to membership. It was decided to have a national political board to be composed of members from the various States appointed by the State Councils. President Traynor will appoint a committee of five to meet with a council of patriotic organizations at Washington, December 10, 11, 12 to consider the question of the candidate of 1896. This committee will also have charge of the A P A legislation that is to be urged before Congress.

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OLD PAPERS FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE

THE METHODISTS.

Close of East Maine Conference at Bucksport.

The Announcement of the Appointments for the Coming Year.

Interesting Exercises Just Before Adjournment Took Place.

BUCKSPORT, May 11.

Among the many able addresses given at this session of the conference, one of the best whether measured by its scholarly finish, spiritual force, or the clear-cut grasp with which the subject was handled—and it was one of the most vital of the many vital subjects now forcing themselves upon churches of all denominations—was that of Rev H L Foss, pastor of Grace church, Bangor, delivered Sunday evening.

Mr. Foss took for his theme, "Three Views of the Young People's Movement," considering it from different standpoints as an evolution, revolution and solution. First, because all great movements have been evolutionary, coming from small beginnings. This is true of the ancient religions of the Jewish and Christian churches, the reformation, the 18th century revival under the Wesleys, and in such modern movements as the Y M C A Association, Woman's C T U, Y P S C E societies and Epworth Leagues. The foundation of these is based upon some great need of humanity in answer to which the movement springs into being. The need of the foundation of the Epworth League was the constant dying of the church at the top.

The fathers and mothers of the church died and their places were not filled. To-day we bury the saints with the same sorrow as of old, but with no forebodings of the future. The young people's movement makes the future of the church secure.

Next in treating of the Epworth League as a revolution, the speaker said that it was a revolution first in that it embraced the presence of a most prolific and vigorous young life. Any one who doubts this revolution needs only to stand before the great young people's conventions and meetings in all parts of the land. Not only is this life evident on these parade grounds of the church, but in every activity of the church its prayer, class meetings and preaching services.

Here the speaker exhibited samples of a series of 25 postal cards sent to six representative churches of the six New England conferences, asking questions as to the attendance of young people at the regular meetings of the church, their earnestness and practical piety. The replies to these cards indicated that from one half to two-thirds of all the people attending the regular prayer meetings of the church are members of young people's societies. The replies were also practically unanimous in the assurance that their earnestness and practical piety were at least equal and in most instances superior to that of the church in general.

Again these societies are a revolution in the relation of young people to the church. In the old days the young people felt that the church had little use for them. They were doing about unnoticed and too largely uncared for. They had little more use for the church than the church had for them. To-day the church lavishes its love upon them and they are pouring back into the bosom of the church the warm affection of their own young life.

Then they are a revolution in the relation of young people to the pastor. In former times the relations of the pastor and the young people were not especially close. They recognized his goodness but did not always enjoy his company. Indeed, they knew little about him, for not unfrequently when he came in at the front door they went out at the back. Now this was all a mistake, and was easily corrected when both came into proper relations. To-day the pastor is their confidential and constantly sought advisor, while he in turn depends with the utmost confidence upon them for all forms of christian service.

Still again, these societies are a revolution in the time and manner of their members coming into the kingdom of Christ. We used to allow the Devil to have our children until their hearts were scarred and hardened, their consciences dull and their lives often ruined. When too late we woke up and engaged in a loosing fight for that which never ought to have been beyond our reach. We lost 75 or 80 per cent and the quality of that which we snatched from the enemy was injured. We are wiser now—we take the children into our junior societies, then into the intermediate, then into the senior and somewhere on the road we have fastened them to the church and they have never been out of our hands. This will change our revival methods somewhat, but will give us such a generation of christians as the world has never seen.

Moreover it is a revolution in organization. We are living in an age of close compacts, of intimate alliances, of the most perfect organizations. Trusts combines, monopolies are the watchwords in business, manufactures and commerce. Then again there is a compact of evil forces. The saloon, brothel, dance hall, low amusements, vile literature, Sunday violation and hosts of other evils form a phalanx. A blow struck at one exists the whole equally. And when you menace one you find the whole dangerous battalion drawn up against you.

We are in ruling that we must meet these unholy combines with a holy crusade in which the forces of right, courage shall meet and conquer the hosts of evil.

Finally in this view these societies are a revolution in loyalty. There are people who are spiritual paupers who have no roof to shelter them, no fire-side at which to sit, no religious brotherhood. Some people would as soon their children attended one Sabbath school as another. There is such a thing as religious bigotry. God save our young people from this and yet they ought to find a congenial home which shall be to them far more than any place on God's green earth.

"A little girl of my acquaintance" said the speaker, "was the proud possessor of a family of kittens, with their eyes not yet open. She was told that unless she could give them away they must all be drowned. At the close of an afternoon's earnest work she came back with the statement that she had succeeded in placing all but one in Methodist families. A Congregationalist friend wanted that one, and if she could not do better she proposed to place it there."

This girl's bigotry is preferable to the wishy-washiness of a good many older christians. Loyalty does not shut our eyes to our own faults, or to the virtues of others. He is most loyal to his church who, by a pure life, deep consecration and earnest efforts gives his own church the best reputation in the community, makes it a mighty magnet holding its own and drawing to itself not only christians but those who have literally been outside the church.

The third view of this subject treated it as that of a solution. In the first place it solves the problem of the multiplication of the pastor. A faithful young people's society multiplies a pastor's usefulness many times. There are few pastors who cannot plan ten times more work than he can do. A young people's society is the pastor's eye projected, his arm lengthened, his feet made swift, his brain made prolific. How a pastor can spread himself over a community if he has at his constant call a score or a hundred faithful young people!

Moreover it is the solution of the social question. Many young people have thought of religion as a drudgery and the church as shrouded in gloom. There must have been some reason for this misconception. We are saying to them now come with us and we will give you the brightest, happiest, gladest life, without the sting, the emptiness and the alloy of worldliness.

The church used to be not unlike a home unblessed with children or from which they had gone forth into the world. Such a home grows silent and loses much of its brightness. Then God the church has had children born to it in its old age! Parlors have been opened, the shutters thrown wide, playthings brought out, and the old home rings with gladness and the songs and the shouts of its happy children.

The young christian has a social nature as much as a spiritual nature. There are cravings which sermons and prayer meetings cannot altogether satisfy, and we must provide pleasures, pure, harmless and unquestioned in their character which are still pleasures from the earthly side. When we take away from our young people the dance, the cards and the theatre, we must provide something to take their places. As diseased tissues in the human body are sloughed off, by increased constitutional soundness, so the dangers and diseases threatening the social life of our young people will be eliminated by the building up of a sound and healthy social life.

The speaker said that at a young people's convention a question from a box came to him thus:

"How can we prevent our young people' societies from becoming courting places?"

My reply to this, Mr. Foss said, was, that until the world changes courting will be done, and where under the wide arch of the heavens can you find a safer place for the mingling of our young men and women than under christian auspices and beneath the watchful eyes of pastors. The legitimate companionship of our young peoples' societies will rob many a saloon, club and brothel.

It may be remarked, said the speaker, that in the second place the societies are a solution of the intellectual problem of the church. The educational department of these societies cannot bestow a liberal education, but they can provide much sound and helpful instruction. They can improve our young people in regard to history of their own church and of the church universal, they can keep them in touch with its great movements, its splendid institutions, and with its heroic workers and this will make them intensely loyal. The literary department will draw out of the mass a many a rough diamond. Multitudes of young men and women are first conscious of an intellectual ambition only after their conversion.

Young people's societies must be the recruiting officer for our seminaries and colleges. We are to teach these young people that brains and piety go hand in hand. An ignorant man may do much if filled with the holy ghost, but he would do more if he knew more. The possibilities of the coming century are measurably glorious, but they wait for men and women of intellectual and spiritual resources.

Lastly, they are a solution to a very large degree of the future of Methodism. Among the young Methodists of today are the bishops, editors, secretaries, princely givers and splendid workers of tomorrow. Truly, said the speaker, to no man in my appreciation of past, and my reverence for its magnificent men but I believe we are watching the past into the present, and as I look upon the uplifted faces of multitudes of our young christians, I dare to believe that we can march the splendid present with a still more glorious future. What the Methodism of tomorrow shall be depends upon the young of today.

After this in a fine and rapid sweep of the subject Mr Foss grasped the following conclusions:

The young people's movement is an evolution but evolutions are endless things. We have not yet attained.

It is a revolution but the revolution is only just begun. We have many cities yet to capture, many walls to batter down, many enemies to conquer ere the city of peace is sighted.

It is evolution, but the complete disentanglement of the perplexities and difficulties that from us lies far in the future.

Who is sufficient for these things? When God calls his people to a great work He leads them through a mighty preparation. This was true of Abraham, of Paul, of Wesley, and every other commanding figure of the world's history. Our preparation must be in the Holy of Holies, where we must wait until we hear the voice of God and catch the spirit of Christ and feel the touch of the Holy Ghost, and with this voice ringing in our ears, this spirit abiding in our hearts this touch upon our lives, we may go forth to win this world for our Christ.

Throughout the lecture was enforced by happy stories and apt illustrations and held undivided attention for more than an hour.

The Appointments

The chief interest in the morning session of the conference today was the announcement of the appointments for the coming year, and when read by Bishop Bowman many surprises resulted but all felt relieved. The full list follows:

BANGOR DISTRICT

J H Bowman, Presiding Elder. P O Bodge, supply.
Alton, Argyle and West Orrington, S N Small.
Ashland, to be supplied.
Atkinson and S E L, C H Johnson.
Bangor, First Church, J M Frost.
Bangor, Union Church, H L Foss.
Brownville and Henderson, D K Flora.
Caribou, supply D H Piper.
Carmel and Levant, George Higgins.
Dexter, J W Lowis.
Dexter, J F Haley.
Dixmont, W H Dunnack.
Dover, G C Wadden.
East Corinth and Corinth, J W Day.
Easton, supply, M W Newhart.
Exeter and Corinna, L A Carter.
Forest City, to be supplied.
Fort Kent and Sanger ville, J D Payson.
Harmony and Athens, Wilson Lerm.
Hartland and St Albans, J H Lidstone.
Houlton, F F White.
Hodgdon and Linneus, Eugene V Allen.
Howland, to be supplied.
Kingman, John W Hatch.
Limestone, M L Anderson.
Lincoln and Mattawamkeag, W L Johnson.
Mapleton, to be supplied.
Mars Hill and Presque Isle, to be supplied.
Monson, supply, H Moody.
Mentcalfe, H B Netter.
Moosehead, Detroit, W L Brown.
Old Town, D B Dow.
Orono and Stillwater, L L Jones.
Oakfield, G F Illey.
Patten, A F Lines.
Pittsfield and Palmyra, G H Hamilton.
Sherman, supply, F E Lincoln.
Ripley, to be supplied.
Vanceboro, E G Schoover.
Washburn, supply, I O Smith.

BUCKSPORT DISTRICT

H W Norton, Presiding Elder, I O Bucksport.
Alexander and McLaughlin, supply, G R Moody.
Bar Harbor, supply, R J Wychoff.
Brewer, J L Crosby.
Brooksville and South Penobscot, Geo Reader.
Bucksport, J L Richardson.
Burlington Centre, W F Campbell.
Calais, First church, C H McLaughlin.
Calais, Knight Memorial, A S Ladd.
Castine, N G Lyons.
Cherryfield, to be supplied.
Columbia Falls, Columbia and Indian River, S O Young.
Cutler, supply, W James.
Deer Isle, L W Belcher.
East Bucksport, to be supplied.
East Machias and Whiting, A B Carter.
Eastport, John Hopkins.
Eddington, Marvin Kearns.
Edmunds and Marion, Elon W Russell.
Ellsworth, J H W Wharff.
Franklin, A H Hanscom.
Gouldsboro and Steuben, to be supplied.
Hampden, A T Lockhart.
Harrington, J T Moore.
Lubec, F A Smith.
Machias, L J Wright.
Milbridge, R Sutcliff.
Orland and West Penobscot, Charles Rogers.
Orrington, J T Lombard.
Orrington Center and South, W A McGraw.
Tremontine, J S Gilman.
Penobscot, G M Bailey.
Perry, to be supplied.
Robinson and North Perry, supply, J D McGraw.
Southwest Harbor, W H Powles.
Sullivan, J A Wood.
Surry and East Blue Hill, David Smith.
Swan's Island, supply, C F Butterfield.
Wesley and Cooper, W P Greenlaw.
West Tremont, supply, S E Brewster.
Winterport, J P Simonton.
A H Chase, President, Conference Seminary.
C L Libby, President, Rust University.
D H Sawyer, Professor, Rust University.
D H Tribon, Chaplain U S Navy.

ROCKLAND DISTRICT

W W Ogier, Presiding Elder, P O Thomas.
Belfast, S L Hanscom.
Boothbay Harbor, L H Dagoni.
Bremen and West Waldoboro, W A Mesurvy.
Camden and Hope, Neville G G Winslow.
China and East Vassalboro, N R Pearson.
Clinton, Benton & Burnham, J H Irvine.
Cushing, supply, W H Moffitt.
Damariscotta and Mills, C L Beaghart.
Dresden, M S Preble.
East Boothbay and South Bristol, V P Wardwell.
Friendship and South Waldoboro, H R Merrithew.
Georgetown and Arrowsic, N J Jones.
Knox and Morrill, to be supplied.
Montville and Palermo, E U Berill.
North Vassalboro and Vassalboro, W C Baker.
North Waldoboro and Orff's Corner, A L Russell.
Pemaquid and New Harbor, J A Morrison.
Pittston and Whitefield, C W Lowell.
Randolph and Chelsea, L G March.
Rockland, C W Bradlee.
Rockport, J L Folsom.
Round Pond and Bristol, G E Edgett.
Searsmont, M F Bridgham.
Searsport, O H Fernald.
Sheepscot, F W Brooks.
Southport, supply, J W Price.
South Thomaston and Spruce Head, H B Haskell.
Thomaston, supply, C E Bean.
Union, G B Chadwick.
Unity and Troy, supply, L H Merrill.
Waldoboro and Winslow Mills, D B Phelps.
Windsor and Ross Hill, S. A. Bender.
Woolwich, T. S. Ross.
C. A. Plummer, chaplain Maine State Prison.
Transferred to this conference, T. F. Jones from Maine conference.
Transferred to Vermont conference, A. W. C. Anderson.
To Maine conference, C. C. Phelan, B. C. Wentworth, W. F. Holmes and J. L. Hoyle.
To New England conference, Wesley Wiggin and M. B. Pratt.
To New York East, F. C. Haddock.

The closing session commenced with a service of half an hour with Rev. J. M. Frost, of Bangor, as leader. The records of Saturday's proceedings were approved and reports of committees accepted. Resolutions were passed thanking Bishop Bowman and others for services rendered.

A purse was presented the retiring presiding elder Rev B. C. Wentworth of the Bangor district after six years service, from members of the district by Rev. H. E. Foss, of Bangor. The records of the day were approved.

Then with singing "Blest be the tie that binds," prayer and remarks by Bishop Bowman and the appointments the conference adjourned to April, 1896, at Old Town.

Resolutions Adopted

Resolutions reported by the committee consisting of E H Foss, C W Bradlee and J A Weed were adopted.

First—That we commend the work of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the National Temperance society and kindred organizations that are directing their efforts to the overthrow of the liquor traffic.

Second—That we will urge the use of the quarterly temperance lessons in our Sunday schools, and will seek to have the children and youth under our care instructed in temperance principles and pledged to total abstinence.

Third—That we are utterly opposed to any system of license that proposes to regulate the traffic without destroying it or to any method that makes the state a partner in the business.

Fourth—Holding firmly to total abstinence as the only safe position for the individual and legal prohibition as the only efficient method for the state in dealing with this evil, we regret the laxity in enforcing the prohibitory law in some sections of our own state arising either from a weak public sentiment, or from the neglect, indifference, or opposition of the officers of the law.

Fifth—Regarding the liquor traffic as the gigantic crime of crimes against society, the saloon as the enemy of home, church and state, we will, as ministers of the gospel bear unequivocal testimony by voice and vote against the perpetuation of the system of iniquity and urge our people not only to keep themselves clear of it, "avoiding even the appearance of evil," but also to give their influence to no candidate for office nor to any political party not unequivocally opposed to the saloon and the degradation of the liquor traffic.

EARLY METHODISM.

An Interesting Article in Relation to Eastern Maine Methodists.

The Founder of the Methodist Church in Maine, Methodist Preachers, etc.

The following article on early Methodism by one of our well known citizens will be read with interest by people in this section of the State and elsewhere as well.

Methodism in Eastern Maine

In this article I have been obliged to gather much from sources unfortunately fragmentary. The early records are not complete nor are all the histories reliable. I give therefore, what I have gathered from all sources. In the notices of preachers I only give such as I have at hand. It is all fragmentary.

The founder of the Methodist Church in Maine was Elder Jesse Lee of Prince George County, Virginia. He had been laboring in Connecticut and Massachusetts, and in 1711 a Conference at Lynn, Mass., ordered him to come to Maine and preach and establish circuits. A historian says that he "invaded Maine" that year and preached the first sermon in the State at Saco, Sept. 10, 1793. In Portland he preached in the Second Congregational Meeting House, Court House and private houses. He came East to Thomaston, over land, and by water up the Penobscot Bay to Castine, and up the river to Bangor, and there across the country to Kennebeck. In 1793 Mr Lee visited Maine again. He preached at Bristol Nov 23 and at Nobleboro and came through to Penobscot river, preaching in all the towns on the river. In 1795 he came to Maine again, and preached forty-seven sermons in forty-three days. He found his work flourishing here. Mr Lee was a man of sound common sense, limited education, ready wit and indomitable perseverance. His untaxing good nature was one secret of his great success. He should have been elected Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1800, when he only lacked four votes of it.

A good and reliable account of Methodism on the east side of Penobscot river may be found in the ancient records of the church in Orrington compiled in 1819. I give here a copy.

A Register of the names of the members of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Orrington Circuit, A D, 1819, with a short account of the first rise of Methodism in this vicinity, and a list of all the preachers on this circuit to the present year, prefixed.

"Let all things be done decently and in order.—1 Cor. xiv. 40.

"The number of the names together was at first 120.—Acts i. 15.

(Extract from an old record in the care of Simeon Gorham, Stewart, Hampden.)

In the year of our Lord 1795, the Rev Jesse Lee came to Penobscot River, preaching in various places, and was requested to tarry, or send them another preacher. Agreeable to this request the Rev Joshua Hall was sent, who preached with them several months, under whom there was some awakening. The Rev Philip Wager succeeded him 9 months, when the Rev Enoch Mudge came to the town of Orrington, and formed a church according to the Methodist discipline, and administered the Lord's supper, November 27, A D, 1796. In 1805, Jan. 12, a division was made of what was formerly called Penobscot circuit. The societies on the eastern side of the river, with other societies annexed, composed the Orrington circuit. As it was impossible to determine, from the old minutes, the precise time when all the members were either admitted or excluded, it was thought advisable to begin this book with the present members in regular standing.

Names of the Methodist Preachers who have succeeded each other on this Circuit.

1794	Jesse Lee	1808,	David Kilburn 9 mos
1795	Joshua Hall		
1796,	Phillip Wagner	1809,	Joseph Baker, 12 mos
	Enoch Mudge		
	Peter Jayne	1810,	Joseph Baker, 9 mos
1797,	Timothy Merrit		
	Joshua Taylor	1811,	Edward Hyde, 3 mos
1798	John Finnegan		
1799	Daniel Richer	1811,	George Gerry, 12 mos
1800	John Grove		
1801	Joseph Baker	1813,	John Atwell, 12 mos
	Asa Pattee		
	Joel Walker	1814,	Cyrus Cummings
1803	Samuel Thompson	1815,	Joshua Nye
1804,	William Goodhue	1816,	Joseph Lull
	Daniel Perry	1817,	Benjamin Jones
1805,	Levi Walker	1817,	Benjamin Ayer
1806	William Hunt, 10 mos	1818,	Sullivan Bray
		1819,	Jeremiah Marsh
1807,	Phillip Ayer, 8 mos	1820,	Jeremiah Marsh

Here follows a list of the members of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Orrington Circuit, A D 1820, admitted between 1796 and 1819, and living in 1819.

Orrington, 111, Bucksport, 131, Orland, 18, and Eddington, 18.

Rev Joshua Hall

In 1795, Joshua Hall from the New London, Conn., Conference, was sent here by, or came with, Mr. Lee. Mr. Hall was born in Lewistown, Delaware, Oct. 22, 1768. He eventually located at Frankfort, as he was always known as of that town.

He preached the first Methodist sermon in Belfast in Aug., 1795. Rev Seth Noble, Orthodox minister of Bangor, in his diary says he heard Mr. Hall preach at Sandy Point Oct 22, 1795. He preached in all the towns on Penobscot river. Swam his horse across the river at Bucksport, and brought him across in another place on two canoes. Mr Henry Little, in the Bangor Jeffersonian of May 23, 1852, claimed that Mr. Hall's horse was the only horse then owned on the river.

He preached all over Eastern Maine for sixty-seven years; acceptable wherever he went to very many outside of the Methodist denomination. He was a man of much ability, with agreeable presence, great tact and personal popularity, he did more to build up this faith than any other preacher of his time. He was something of a politician, Representative to the General Court of Massachusetts from 1814 to 1820 inclusive, member of the Constitutional Convention, 1820; Representative, 1821, Senator, 1830-1831. He was President of the Senate in 1830 and was Acting Governor for a few days. At the great celebration at Fort Point (Old Fort Pownal), July 28, 1850, he was President of the day. October 31, 1852, at the age of 84, he preached two "excellent sermons" in Bangor, which were, I think, his last here.

He died in Frankfort, Dec. 25, 1862, aged 94 years.

Rev. Enoch Mudge, of Orrington.

Enoch Mudge, Jr., was born in Lynn, Mass., June 28, 1776. He was the first Methodist minister ever raised in New England, having been one of the first fruits of the preaching of Elder Lee at Lynn. Mr. Mudge was sent to Penobscot river by Mr. Lee and settled in Orrington in 1796. He was a shoemaker by trade, with a limited education, but he became an excellent, acceptable and eloquent preacher. While living in Orrington he preached in all the towns on Penobscot river, being welcomed by all sets, even those of the "standing order." Prof. George Shepard in an anniversary sermon, said "that the church owed him a great debt for his faithful preaching." He left his impress upon the people on Penobscot river to a remarkable degree. He represented Orrington in the General Court of Massachusetts several years, and no representative there was listened to with more profound respect and pleasure. He removed to Lynn, Mass., about 1820, and died there April 2, 1850.

Rev Elijah R Sabin

Rev. Elijah R Sabin a Methodist clergyman, preached at Lisbon, N. H., and was transferred to Boston, where he was Presiding Elder in 1808, over one of the New England Conferences, "one of several noble men whose names will never be forgotten." He was pastor of the Bromfield Street Methodist church in Boston, and Chaplain to the Massachusetts House of Representatives for several years. He was transferred to Hampden, Maine, where he preached until his death, unless ill health prevented. He was Representative to the General Court from Hampden, 1816-17-18. He died in Augusta, Georgia, in June, 1818, at the age of 42. It is quite remarkable that I find no mention of Mr Sabin in any record of the Methodist Conferences on Penobscot river. His two sons were Lorenzo Sabine, a distinguished merchant and writer, of Eastport, and Francis M Sabine, merchant of Bangor, his widow, Hannah, married Daniel Emery, a distinguished citizen of Hampden.

Penobscot and Castine.

Joshua Hall was the first preacher at Penobscot in 1795, E Hall, 1796, P Merritt and E Mudge, 1797. Peter Jayne 1798, J Merrick, 1799, J Grove, 1800. Rev Joshua Taylor was the Presiding Elder. He preached the first Methodist sermon in Castine in 1800. He was there shamefully treated and driven out of town and took refuge at the house of Col Jeremiah Wardwell in Penobscot. Who the men were, or what excuse they had for their outrageous treatment of Mr Taylor we may never know. The different sects were intolerant toward one and another at that time. The most excellent Rev William Mason, afterward of Bangor, was settled as town minister, Orthodox, of Castine, Oct 10, 1799. The number of church members was 17, ten males and seven females. I should doubt if the church had much to do with the treatment of Mr Taylor. The early Baptists were intolerant towards the Methodists as they were towards the Orthodox. In Millet's History of the Baptists (1844) it is said that Rev John Tufts, Methodist, a preacher on the circuit, formed a class at Surry. Benjamin Lord, one of the converts was much consecrated. In 1801-1802 Rev John Lipps, of Hebron, was at Surry and preached the gospel. Lord was thoroughly converted from Arminianism and Pedo-Baptism. Rougher phrases were often used towards other sects. Lord became a useful and honored Baptist minister, and preached in Surry and elsewhere for over thirty years.

In Bucksport

The first church in Bucksport was the Methodist church in North Bucksport. Rev John Kenney was the first settled minister in the town in 1795. He was called to labor in the records and was probably a local preacher. The town was for some years a Methodist town. Rev Mighill Blood was settled as town minister, May 12, 1803. A most worthy man, wrote a history of Bucksport in 1807 and in it made no reference to the Methodist church which was then and had been for sixty years the most flourishing church in the town. In 1827 the Methodist church had 240 members and the Congregational church 11 members. Rev John Kenney died in North Bucksport July 28, 1821 aged 61.

Rev Jonathan Cobb, a local Methodist preacher, whose name does not appear in any records, except those of Bucksport, that I have seen, came to North Bucksport in 1817 and died there, December 27, 1860, aged 74 years, 2 months.

Early Methodists in Bangor

The records of the church in Bangor are very meagre and in some instances manifestly incorrect.

Rev Jesse Lee was the first Methodist preacher in Bangor. He was probably here in 1794 but it was not until April 1796 it is said, that he preached his first sermon here, in the house of Jacob Dennett, which was not far from where the Maine Central Railroad station now is. At that time Rev Seth Noble was the Orthodox minister here. Mr Noble numerated almost as much as the Methodists. I have read his diary from 1786 to 1797 and while I do not find any reference to Mr Lee I do not find an unkind word for the other denominations.

In 1796-96 Elder Hall preached here once in six weeks for a year.

In 1796-97 Rev Enoch Mudge, of Orrington, labored here as a part of his circuit. He preached here for nearly twenty-five years to great acceptance.

No record that I have seen tells us of the Methodists here prior to 1811, except, probably, Samuel Sherburne whom Rev Enoch Mudge teacher of the Orrington church, certifies as belonging to the Methodist Society in Orrington in 1810, and David Howard in 1809. Thomas Howard first settler, was a Congregationalist when Mr Noble was here but embraced the Methodist faith afterward, as probably did Joseph Mansell. The town had a variety of Ministers after 1800 who preached in the school house. In 1811 Rev William May preached, January 6, Rev Enoch Mudge January 27, Rev John Sawyer Feb 3, Rev Daniel Merrill Baptist February 10 and the Rev Mr Oliphant, a Methodist (of whom I can find no other account) March 3, 17, 31 and July 21.

"Not many wise men, not many mighty, not many noble" were called to the early Methodist church in Bangor.

Rev Harvey Loomis was ordained minister of the Congregational church and town in Bangor, November 20, 1811. From this time the lines seem to be drawn.

Prior to this time the state of religion in Bangor was at a low ebb. As a matter of fact, although there were some good men and women there was not "much religion to speak of."

The membership of the Congregational church comprised the merchants, lawyers and principal men, and some others.

I do not think the first class of the Methodists was formed until after 1817. The records give their names, but I do not think the date.

In Millett's History of the Baptists, 1845, page 312, it is said, "that in 1817 the population of Bangor did not exceed one thousand, and among those there was a Congregational church and a Methodist congregation."

The town records of Bangor for 1812, make mention of "the religious society in Bangor called Methodists." April 24, 1812, the committee of the society, Joseph Mansell, Daniel Howard and Thomas Howard certify that the following persons were members, viz:

Joseph Mansell,	Joseph Potter
Jeremiah Dunkley, Esq	Samuel Smith
David McPheters	Aaron Hook,
Robert McPheters	Amos Mann,
Ashbel Hathorn,	Samuel Bevridge,
Joel Stevens	Isaac Spencer
David Howard	John Hook
John Howard,	John Hook, Jr.,
Thomas Howard	Margaret Clark
William Thompson,	David Hathorn

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Capt James Drummond	William Hale,
Zebulon Smith	Ezra Mann
James Carr	Samuel Sherburne,
Francis Carr	David W Hayne,
Richard McGrath	Isaac Lincoln
Daniel Lambert	Isaac Watson,
Matthew Burns,	Daniel Lord
Thomas D Discomb	Hezekiah Chamberlain
Benjamin Marshall	Seth Thompson
John Hopkins,	

APRIL 1815

Peter Burgess,	Mrs Jane Hitchborn,
Alvin Nye,	Nathaniel Boynton,
John Hill,	Jacob Dearborn,
Asa Miller	Robert Salmon I
Ashbel Hathorn, Jr	Samuel Salmond

I think these men comprised all the male members of the Society up to this time, they were not all members of the class or church by any means.

James and Francis Carr were not Methodists, and subsequently went into the Congregational church, and some of them to the Protestant Episcopal church.

David W Hayne went to Edinburg in 1813, and died there, August 28, 1846.

Daniel Lord went to Brownville and died there.

John Ham was one of the earliest members of the class, and a noted man in his day. He died at his homestead (where I am now writing), early in 1857.

Nathaniel Boynton was an early member, who died September 23, 1868. His more noted son, Nathaniel Boynton, Jr., who changed his name to Gorham L. Boynton, was in early life a member of the Methodist church.

Isaac Lincoln, Jr., lived on Essex street. Joseph Potter, Jr., died here. Daniel Lambert died July 12, 1839. Capt James Drummond died February 5, 1830, aged 85.

A good many of the members lived in Veazie and in that direction. Thomas Howard died December 1827 or 28, aged 86. David Howard died February 26, 1843. John Howard died in December, 1844. Joseph Mansell died October 29, 1845, aged 94. Ashbel Hathorn, Sr., died November 26, 1843, aged 79. David Hathorn died August 24, 1846, aged 79. David McPheters died September 14, 1819, aged 30. Zebulon Smith became a Congregationalist and was Deacon of the Hammond street church for several years; he died December 25, 1865, aged 79.

Of the later history of the church I am not competent to write. Many good men belonged to it and have passed to their reward.

Jr W. P.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Mrs. Caroline A. Patterson, of Bucksport, for two years matron at the Seminary boarding house, died last Saturday.

North East Harbor on Mt Desert, Bishop Doane's favorite resort, is to have a few more high-class cottages this season.

The middle bridge at Newport was rebuilt and placed in position last week, the water being shut off at the upper dam for that purpose.

Miss Harriet Shaw, the harpist, who has many friends in this city, will pass a portion of the summer months at Winthrop, where her mother has purchased an estate.

Col S R Bohn has offered $60 in gold as prizes to be sailed for this summer

WHAT IS THIS DISEASE CALLED DYSPEPSIA?

It is a thief at night it steals in upon us unawares. The patients have pains about the chest and sides and stomachs in the back. They feel dull and sleepy the mouth has a bad taste. It is in the morning A sort of sticky slime lines about the teeth The appetite is poor. There is a feeling like a heavy load on the stomach. The stomach which food does not satisfy. It seems as though food would ferment if it should be taken into it. Belching of wind. Flatulency After awhile a cough sets in at first dry but after a few months it is attended by a greenish colored expectoration. The patient is thin and pale. He loses not only his strength but his energy. He becomes nervous and gloomy and has evil forebodings. There is a sensation as if some evil had been done him. Sometimes when rising up suddenly he feels as if he would become blind. The skin is dry and hot. At times the blood is more thick and stagnant. The whites of the eyes become tinged with yellow. The urine is scanty and high color. Constipation alternates with looseness. All of these symptoms are but a prelude. The patient is thought to be only in the first stage of dyspepsia. Some have contracted it from their parents. Dyspepsia often sows for kidney diseases, liver complaint, and the various kinds of fevers. Many have contracted it with sorrow.

Now all these diseases could be avoided by a timely use of Hop Bitters. It will act on any part of the system as occasion may require. It will tone up the digestive organs and make them do their duty. It will give you a good appetite. It will make you feel like a new person. It will make the blood pure and rich and impress it with the vigor of life. It will make the weak strong. It will make the sick well. It will make the young old. It will make the old young. It will make the dead alive. It will make the poor rich. It will make the sick well. It will make the weak strong